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In re Application of  
Gordon W. Glazner  
Serial No.: 09/878,918 : WITHDRAWAL OF ABANDONMENT  
Filing Date: January 14, 2004 :  
Attorney Docket No. 18444-503 :

This letter is in response to the Petition under 37 CFR ¶ 1.181, filed January 14, 2004, to withdraw the notice of abandonment.

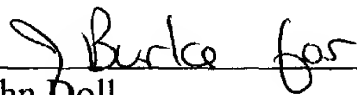
A review of the electronic file history shows that the Office mailed a requirement for restriction/election on July 2, 2003, with the deadline for responding being August 2, 2003. The Petitioner has provided the Office with a copy of the returned receipt postcard from the US Patent and Trademark Office showing an extension of time "two months", Money Order in the amount of \$205.00 and a response was in fact timely filed on October 1, 2003.

Neither the electronic file history nor PALM shows a record of a "Notice of Missing Parts" or "Notice of Abandonment" ever being mailed in this particular application. The Office apologizes for the inconvenience of an apparent erroneous error. The application remains in an active status and has been forwarded to the Examiner for further prosecution.

**DECISION**

The Petition is **GRANTED** in view of the response filed October 1, 2003 and re-filed January 14, 2004.

Should there be any questions with regard to this letter, please contact Special Program Examiner Julie Burke by letter addressed to the Director, Technology Center 1600, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 or by telephone at (571) 272-0512 or by facsimile transmission at (703) 872-9306.

  
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